

A LITTLE LEARNING IS NOT A DANGEROUS THING TO ONE WHO DOES NOT MISTAKE IT FOR A GREAT DEAL.—William Allen White

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THREE DAY MINI-VACATION FOR S. A. D. #44 STUDENTS

There will be no classes for students in S. A. D. #44 Thursday and Friday, Nov. 24 and 25, as schools are closed for the Thanksgiving recess. Students have an added day off also, as next Monday, Nov. 28, has been scheduled as a Teacher Workshop.

TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL FIRST SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

Grade 6: High Honors—Stephanie Smith, Honors—Karl Barth, Heidi Burk, Teresa Coolidge, Michele Flynn, Gerri Gauthier, Georgia Gould, James Hudson, Tammy Leaned, Tracie Moffett, Maria Myers, Lisa Newell, Andrew Wheeler, Joseph White.

Grade 7: High Honors—Christine Caton, Sean Kersey, Honors—James Barton, Teresa Blake, Dennis Bodemer, Cindy Fliske, Joyce Gauthier, Peggy James, Christopher Mills, Jeff Morgan, Leslie Olson, Michael Parker, Dale Ricker, Julie Swan, Kathy Swain, Laurie Vogt, Special Recognition for Outstanding Effort—Chris Akers, Christopher Johnson, Sandra Kimball, Allan Merrill.

Grade 8: High Honors—Sandra Greenleaf, Timothy Kersey, James Lizotte, Bobby Melvin, Kathryn Salway, John Schachter, Honors—Timothy Akers, Brett Barton, Penny Bean, Carolyn Bennett, Allen Connors, Jackie Cross, Michael Dorey, Tammy Fleet, Caroline Fliske, Eric Gunther, Julia Gunther, Robert James, Becky Jodrey, Raymond Morin, Lisa Pelzel, Chuck Starr, Ross Swan, Renee Winslow, Diana Wells. Special Recognition for Outstanding Effort—Andrew Chase, Cheryl Moody.

Thanksgiving Eve services are being held at the Bethel United Methodist Church at 7:30 Wednesday. Everyone is welcome.

HONOR ROLL FOR TELSTAR REGIONAL H. S.

—FIRST SEMESTER, 1977-78
High honors—all grades 90-100; Honors—all grades 80-90.

Grade 9: High Honors—John Feeney, Claude Taylor, Honors—Pamela Carter, Nyoka Clark, Bruce Clements, Rex Otero, Karen Dunham, Glenn Dunn, Karen Hakala, David Korhonen, Sandra Kuvaja, Michael Lowe, Timothy Mathews, Steven McClure, Brenda Millett, Eugene Osgood, Myra Otero-Otero, Rose Pulk, Ruth Ricker, Nancy Savage, Rebecca Stowell.

Grade 10: High Honors—Melanie Swan, Honors—Kathy Bailey, Tracy Bennett, Kelly Doon, Christine Gauthier, June Goodwin, Louise Haines, Timothy Hall, Dawn James, Sandra MacKay, Jacqueline Martin, Cheryl Merrill, Michael Morrill, Annmarie Saunders, Kirsten Wirth, Cameron Taylor.

Grade 11: Honors—Andrew Benson, Dorothy Brennon, Debra Briggs, Betsy Brown, Nancy Buck, Wendy Davis, Jodie Deans, Bonnie Dennis, Alan Dunham, Michael Friel, Jody Haines, Cynthia Hebert, Kendall Keniston, Morton Lyne, Blaine MacKay, Teresa Morgan, Nancy Morin, Richard Morton, Timothy Myers, Mona Roberts, Timothy Tracy, Eric Wentworth, Joan White, Peter York.

Grade 12: High Honors—Gary Dunham, Marc Packard, Scott Vaid, Honors—Kurt Brown, David Clements, Daniel Cummings, Rhonda Cummings, Marya Dombrowski, Cheryl Gilbert, Peter Keniston, Jeff Mills, Paula Mills, Faith Morgan, Marcia Morgan, Stephen Morrill, Theodore Reed, Ann Summerton, Priscilla Webster, Raymond Wirth.

Mrs. Burton Abbott has returned home from Maine Medical Center, Portland, following surgery.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Board of Assessors met Monday evening, Nov. 21, to continue their review of citizen concerns regarding valuations. The Board went out to the Emerson Merrill place to review the building valuation. This review was undertaken as questions were raised concerning the basic figures used in the computation of the value.

Everett Saunders met with the Board to review the valuation placed on his property as a result of the mobile home located on his property which is not used and is currently for sale. After review, the Board voted to abate \$1,300 in value on this property to correct the assessment error.

At 8:15 P. M. the Board of Selectmen met in Special Session to consider a variety of items. Minutes of the Nov. 14 meeting were approved; an election warrant was signed for the county election on Dec. 5; appointment forms were signed for Dianne Hunt as Constable and Dog Officer; and a Quit-Claim deed for Howard Hart was signed.

Chairman Jodrey informed the Board about his discussions with the Gilead Selectmen regarding the plying of the Fleming Road. After discussion the Board voted not to plow this road as it is a private way. This decision follows the policy of the Board not to plow any private ways unless absolutely necessary to enable the plow vehicle to turn around.

The Board gave final approval to the conditions of sale of stumpage at the Town Farm and authorized the Manager to advertise for bids to undertake this work. In other actions, the Board signed an Amusement Permit for the Bethel Inn and authorized the Manager to request the State Department of Audit to conduct the Town's 1977 audit.

Residents are reminded that 1977 taxes must be paid by Nov. 30 to avoid interest charges. Starting Dec. 1, interest at the rate of 1% per month or part thereof retroactive to Oct. 1 will be charged on all taxes unpaid as of Nov. 30. The Town office will be closed both Thursday and Friday this week due to the Thanksgiving Holiday and the Dump will be closed Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. The Dump will be open regular hours Friday, Nov. 25, and Saturday, Nov. 26.

We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving.
Norman R. Ness, Jr.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET DEC. 1

The Bethel Historical Society will hold its annual Christmas meeting on Dec. 1 at 7:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. The traditions of a bygone Christmas will again be emphasized. Everyone attending is urged to bring a toy, ornament, recipe or favorite story associated with a Christmas of the past to share with the group. Following the program, refreshments employing old fashioned Christmas recipes will be served.

Also at this meeting, Stanley Howe, Curator of the Moses Mason House, who recently visited France will show slides and discuss museums, restorations and adaptive re-use of old buildings in France. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

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Cold Dishes: Breads, Nuts & Grapes, Pies, Jello Molds, Salads, Etc.
PRICE — \$5.95 PER PERSON
SERVING — 11 A. M. - 3 P. M.
RESERVATIONS APPRECIATED — 824-2810

THANKSGIVING

Don't fill your heart with bitterness over the things that go wrong in life.

Fill your heart with gratitude for the things that are right.

Forget those you may think have hurt you; remember those you know have helped you.

And repay any good you may receive with all the good you can give.

And then you can be truly thankful on every Thanksgiving Day.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE HOSTING PARTY

SATURDAY, NOV. 26

The Oxford County Democratic Committee will host a Thanksgiving Party on Saturday, Nov. 26, at 6 p. m. at Gehring Hall Dining Room. Various candidates, including State Sen. Phil Merrill, candidate for Governor, and Rep. James Henderson, who recently announced his candidacy for the Second District Congressional seat, will attend the party, which will begin with a bean supper and social hour and continue later in the evening with a dance. Music will be provided by the country-rock band "Linda With Feeling." Tickets are available from County Committee members, Paul McGuire, Cathy Newell, and Emily Saunders. Coordinator for the party is Thomas Bourgeois of South Paris.

GUIDES HONORED AT MOSES MASON HOUSE

A meal cooked over the open fire in the winter kitchen of the Moses Mason House highlighted a reception held Friday evening for all who served as guides during the past summer. The menu was a very traditional one, consisting of beans, brown bread, cold stew, mull cider and Indian pudding. The museum was lit only with candles and the radiance from the fire in the large hearth, giving a faithful impression of what life in Dr. Mason's day might have been like.

Following the meal Mrs. Judith Haskell, Co-Chairwoman of the Museum Committee which sponsored the event expressed the gratitude of the Bethel Historical Society for all the assistance given by these faithful volunteers. Stanley Howe, Curator of the Moses Mason House, who recently returned from France, spoke of the restoration of the Palace of Versailles, once the home of the Sun King, Louis XIV. Howe illustrated his talk with slides of the architecture, interior and gardens of the palace. Restoration was begun

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"PLAN AHEAD" FOR HOLIDAY TRIPS SAY STATE POLICE

The Maine State Police advise there is a lot more to planning a holiday trip than simply loading a car and starting out.

"In addition to being 'ready'—thinking ahead, being rested and checking out the car, motorists should check weather and road reports before starting out and along the way—since driving in the face of storm conditions could invite an experience for which one may find it hard to be thankful," said Col. Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

According to Col. Weeks, thinking ahead means making a sensible schedule to avoid peak traffic periods and to pace oneself so that one need not drive too long at any one stretch. Also plan rest stops and be flexible if the weather turns stormy.

Being rested is part of being "driver ready." A rested, alert driver will share the driving chore, if possible. Know the route and any special hazards along the way that might be aggravated by bad weather.

Checking out the car, or having the "car ready" means making sure that every item of safety equipment has been thoroughly checked by a competent mechanic before the trip—brakes, lights, tires, defroster, windshield wipers and washer, battery and exhaust system.

And, the Maine State Police said the safety equipment in the trunk is also important—booster cables, a shovel, a tow chain, a window scraper brush, traction mats, sand, emergency lighting equipment; and reinforced tire chains for severe snow and ice conditions that may be encountered. In addition, a roll of paper towels comes in handy to wipe lights and glass.

In the middle of the 19th century by Louis Phillipe and was immensely advanced by the late John D. Rockefeller after World War I. Today the French government supports the project which has become one of the world's greatest museums.

Is someone else's drinking a problem for you? AL-ANON Meetings every Wednesday night—8 p. m. in Bethel Savings Bank. Call 824-2233 or 824-2058 for information.

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S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS HOLD MEETING AT TELSTAR

The M. S. A. D. #44 board of directors held a regular meeting in the Library at Telstar Regional High School on Monday evening of this week.

Dr. Wayne Gersen, Telstar principal, introduced Gary Dunham of Greenwood and David Clements of Woodstock, members of the Student Council. The boys are co-editors of the school newspaper and participate in the Math League. They both are participants on High School Quiz 'to be telecast over WMTW on Dec. 9. David is a Maine finalist in the William Randolph Hearst Scholarship program.

Reports of Open House programs were heard from Dr. Gersen, Mrs. Margaret Davis, principal, Locke Mills School; and M.S. Joyce Morgan, principal of Andover Elementary School. Supt. Kenneth Smith read a report from Mrs. Nancy Davis, Ethel Bisbee School principal. All of the programs appeared to be successful and of benefit to both the schools and to the parents attending.

The District Health Committee is preparing forms for completion by students, teachers and parents. The forms will serve as an aid in determining what type of District Health Program is eventually formulated by the group.

Cliff Wing, Elementary Supervisor; Walter Phillips, Telstar Middle School principal; and Dr. Wayne Gersen explained the new Teacher Evaluation Process. The evaluation is to be based on the total performance of the teacher, and be a continuing process, based on more than a single classroom visit. It shall incorporate the teacher's own improvement goals when possible. Evaluation is to be a means of improving individual teacher performance, determining contractual and professional status, and of maintaining a permanent record of teaching performance, and is to be based on qualitative judgements. The process will include informal observation by administrators, in both instructional and non-instructional duties; evaluation/goal setting conferences; and an evaluation report.

Raymond Mielon, S. A. D. #44 elementary physical education instructor, gave a brief explanation and overview of the physical education program in the elementary grades. At the elementary level the goal is to provide a sequential order of psychomotor skill development from primary to the intermediate level of the elementary grades.

Following an executive session the Board approved the voluntary withdrawal of teaching principals from the Telstar Educators Association bargaining unit. As classroom teachers the individuals will still be covered by terms of the agreement.

The directors approved a teacher salary schedule and athletic coaching stipends for the 1978-79 school year.

Board members not present Monday evening were Frances Gunther of Bethel, and Andrew Hinkley of Woodstock.

The next board meeting is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 5, at Telstar Regional High School.

NOTICE

Walter Lord will hold open house, Sunday, Nov. 27, from 1:30 in honor of his 95th birthday, at the home of his daughter, Jo Sanderson, North Waterford, Maine. All are welcome.

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TELSTAR LIBRARY TO HOLD BOOK FAIR

Miss Mary White, president of the Library Club of Telstar Regional High School, extends a cordial invitation to all teachers, parents, students and friends to attend the Club's annual paperback book fair to be held on Nov.

Everyone is invited to an Open House in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Joe and Eveline Barrett at their North Paris home, Sunday, Dec. 4th, 1977, from 2 to 5 p. m. Money tree available.

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Northwest Bethel —**Clarice Gibson, Corres.**

Thanksgiving week already! As I sit here thinking of all the things I have to be thankful for this year, my list would go on and on. One of the ones that would head the list is the chance to be home. If it weren't for the visiting nurse program, I would still have to be in the hospital. The one I have is Mrs. Dexter Stowell and these nurses make their rounds to the homes in all kinds of weather and every day. Another high on my list are wonderful neighbors and family. How often we take these things for granted!

Getting up and looking out of the kitchen window the sun is sparkling on the water rushing to its destination and looks like millions of diamonds. Looking at the river maples that have now lost all of their spring and summer dress, their naked branches are reaching up to the sky, waiting for another spring when nature will once again garb them in their finery. Across over to the island, which is planted with evergreen trees, these trees are reflected in the river as a mirror reflects an image back to you. The ever-changing river, each day one looks out at a different picture, high water, ice forming, ice covered with snow and once again ice breaking up; besides the times the ducks and animals stop for a few days to let us watch them rest up again for their journey elsewhere.

A thunder shower the 17th of November! This was not like we usually have in the off season but, a long while of thunder, lightning and torrential downpour. I understand the weather did cut down on the attendance at Telstar Open House; but those who did go say that they enjoyed it.

Kristy Angevine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Angevine had Stacey Witter over from Nov. 10 to the 12th. Stacey is the daughter of Mike and Gail Witter.

Timmy Angevine was home Monday with the flu and Ricky's turn came Thursday. I understand Sue had it also. It can really upset your whole system.

Dick Angevine went to open house at Telstar Thursday.

Monday, Nov. 14, Rachel MacKay and Barbara MacDougall went to see Abbie Brown at Ledgeview and then Joan Coolidge at Stephens Memorial Hospital. Joan has since been moved to a nursing home either in or near Auburn until she is able to get back to her trailer.

Phillip Cummings of Roselle Park, N. J. was up the week of Nov. 7 to visit his daughter, Mrs. Macky Chapman, for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gibbs went from Nov. 4 to the 6th to Blue Hill, where his grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Hinkleley, lives.

Jody Shimamura, son of Joe and Gerry Shimamura, had a friend from Albany staying Friday night.

Pat Saunders, Gerry and Joe Shimamura and Thelma Merrill, went to open house at Telstar Thursday.

Gerry Shimamura came up to Rumford Community Hospital to see me either Monday or Tuesday. Mrs. Jeff Hutchins' aunt, Louise Kimball, and grandmother, Esther Pickering from Meredith, N. H., were supper guests Nov. 12.

Andy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, visited Brent Bachelier Nov. 10 and they were going to the public supper at the Grange Hall.

Bruce Smith got an eight point, 165 pound buck Saturday and Dennis Smith got a doe this hunting season.

Some deer hunters who went out Saturday say they saw more coydog tracks than deer.

Steve and Pat Anderson were among the luck deer hunters.

Mr. and Mrs. Janet Angevine entertained at an early Thanksgiving dinner Sunday. They had as guests Mrs. Angevine's mother, Grammie Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Heidi Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Moore, had a birthday celebration Nov. 11 in honor

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The new family at the Hazelton farm have laid sewer pipes to the septic tank and installed a bath room; a good job done before the ground freezes.

The traffic is heavy on our street but I haven't seen any white tails go by.

Joe and Eveline Barrett will observe their golden wedding anniversary, Dec. 4 at their home with open house from 2 to 5 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

Bruce Bonney has returned to his home in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. Phyllis Hyam was at Norway hospital Wednesday for her therapy treatment.

Leslie Pearson helped Root Lawrence with setting up the living room stove and funnel Saturday.

The cars were sporting a white top of snow Nov. 19.

Jeffrey Coffin celebrated his

South Woodstock —

Olive Davis, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and family attended a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Burnham of North Woodstock, Sunday evening, honoring their daughter, Nicki and her cousin, Diane Poland, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Poland of West Paris.

We had snow in this area Sunday, which melted as it came down, just a sample of what is coming later to stay with us. Let's hope it won't be too much.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis had an early Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tibbets, in Oxford on Sunday, Nov. 13.

Mrs. Olive Davis entertained Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant at a birthday dinner, Friday, Nov. 18, honoring Leslie's anniversary. Mrs. Lillian Harmon was present for the occasion.

The Johnsons are putting a bay window in their home this fall.

Velma Davis is visiting Bernice Davis for a few days.

Bernice Davis and daughter Ethel, Mrs. Velma Davis and Erlon Twitcheell had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis, Friday evening, Nov. 18.

of her 5th birthday. She had as guests, Dawn Bachelier, Arthur Godwin, Debbie Barker and her two brothers, Patrick and Stanley. Also attending were Doris Hutchins, Alberta Bachelier, Judy Barker, Jane Godwin and Heidi's grandmother, Dorothy Durgin from Locke Mills. Cake and ice cream were served.

Dick Angevine and family and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge and daughter; also Mrs. Angevine's nephew, Albert Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson entertained at a birthday dinner Sunday for their son Bradley Benson and granddaughter, Anita Kimball. Present besides those mentioned were Anita's mother, Sharon and sister, Chantel and Bradley's son, Andy Benson.

November 12 Little Patrick 10 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore, was taken to the hospital for a croup condition. His condition worsened so, the doctors thought for a while he was gone, but thankfully he was brought around and was able to come home the 20th, but will be housebound for at least two weeks.

Terry Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason, was home from Augusta over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden MacDougall were at the open house at Telstar Thursday.

Sunday we had as visitors Mrs. Sharon Kimball, Ms. Sally Clay and Ms. Lee Einzig and my nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Tucker III and son, Ben.

A day of worry is more exhausting than a week of work.

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ninth birthday Nov. 17. He and Jimbo and their parents had the birthday supper with Uncle Root and Aunt Doris Nov. 16 with birthday cake and ice cream for dessert.

The fate of the ice cream stick and tongue depressors doesn't sound good. Letters should be sent to Edmund S. Muskie to work for the working people.
Have a happy Thanksgiving.

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1 lb. 1/4's 2 FOR 79¢**CRACKERBARREL
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Qt. 99¢**Pet-Whip
Topping**
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Pitted Olives**
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Sweet Mixed
Pickles**
22 oz. 59¢**PHILADELPHIA
Cream Cheese**
8 oz. 2 FOR 99¢**PILLSBURY
Family Fudge
Brownie Mix**
22 1/2 oz. 79¢**Pepto Bismol**
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Bologna
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8 oz. pkg. 59¢**"OLD NEW ENGLAND"
Pure Pork Sausage**
1 lb. Roll 79¢**U. S.
Confectioners
Sugar
Brown Sugar**
2 lb. 59¢**MORTON
Pumpkin Pie
Mince Pie**
24 oz. 79¢**SHURFINE
Stuffed Olives**
5 1/4 oz. 69¢**OCEAN SPRAY
Cranberry Juice**
48 oz. 99¢**KELLOGG'S
Croutettes Stuffing**
7 oz. 2 FOR 99¢**SHURFINE
Pure Vegetable
Shortening**
3 lb. 99¢**BORDEN
French Onion Dip
Clam & Lobster Dip**
8 oz. 59¢**Saran Wrap**
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Pie Filling**
15 oz. 3 FOR \$1.00**GLEN FARMS
Real
Whipped Cream**
7 oz. 79¢**and
NON DAIRY
Whipped Topping**
14 oz. 89¢**AUNT NELLIE
Fancy Whole
Boiled Onions**
Glass Pack
16 oz. 49¢**WITH THIS COUPON
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— Miss Amy Hanscom, 'Corres. —

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Miss Gretchen Wight, U. M. O., is spending Thanksgiving week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight, Rumford, were super guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight Sunday.

Arthur Gauthier reported 25 deer and ten bear tagged at the inspection station through Nov. 19. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Bethel, called on Mrs. Eleanor Morton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurston, Rumford, called on Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover at their trailer Sunday afternoon.

Leslie Robertson served as best man at Stephen Powers' wedding.

David Lee called at Warren Powers' last week.

Timothy Powers was home from Auburn for the week end.

Work has started on clearing the Right of Way for the new section of highway on Route 26 near Horsehoe Falls. When completed this section will have a 22 foot bituminous surface with six foot gravel shoulders and will eliminate two dangerous curves.

Polls will be open from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. Dec. 5 at the Bear River Grange Hall. Questions to be voted on are the repeal of the State Uniform Property Tax, eight bond issues, and accepting the Town of Otisfield into Oxford County. Otisfield voters have voter to secede from Cumberland County and join Oxford.

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TO APPEAR ON DEC. 9 — A panel of Telstar Regional High School students will oppose students from Noble High School of Berwick Friday, Dec. 9, on WMTW's High School Quiz. The

contestants, seated in front, left to right: Gary Dunham, David Clements and Scott Wight. Second row: Gary Carter, Jeff Mills, Steve Morrill, Theodore Reed, Tim Myers, and Blaine MacKay. Third

row: Nancy Morin, Mike Friel, John Cluckey, Jody Haines and Wendy Davis. Standing in the rear is Marc Packard, scorekeeper. On the extreme left is Jim Aikman, Quizmaster.

A Century Ago

— From The Oxford Democrat — November 27, 1877

West Bethel — Farmers have improved the fine weather we have been having in making ready for winter, and now wish to see the frozen ground covered with snow.

Stock is coming in in good condition, but prices are ruling low, consequently the barns are well filled for the winter's feeding.

Potatoes have been marketed from this station at 35 to 45 cts. per bushel and are mostly sold that were for sale.

Large flocks of turkeys have been raised in this vicinity the past summer and proves the most profitable kind of poultry the farmer can raise, bringing from 70 to 85 cts. apiece before feeding time. One dollar apiece has been paid for some extra lots that had been fed.

J. S. Wadleigh has been buying at 8½ cts. per lb. live weight. A. W. Grover is feeding 75 for Thanksgiving market.

The birch mills are going to

take in large amounts of timber for the winter and spring work. A. S. Bean of this village, Morrill and Libby of Albany, and Morrill and Libby of Mason, all freight their turkeys from this station, which makes work for many near home, who would otherwise feel obliged to seek employment away the coming winter.

The Grange at this place is in a prosperous condition. They are putting up a hall for their use and have it nearly ready for plastering. The labor thus far has all been given by members. It will probably be finished without paying but little money, except for material. One can see that a united interest is carried forward with a determination, and it will succeed. D. B. Grover is chairman on the building committee and deserves much praise for his untiring labors in carrying forward this work.

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Bethel United Methodist Church

Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry
Organist, Miss Susan Hathaway
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
10:35 a.m. Morning Worship.
10:35 a.m. Sunday School.
Nursery during worship service.
Saturday: 7:00-8:30 p.m. Youth
Fellowship at the Parsonage.

West Parish
Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel

Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Min. of Music
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Morning
worship. (Child care available dur-
ing the service.) 11:00-12 noon.
Discussion group in Garland Cha-
pel.

Wednesday: 3:15 - 4:30 p.m.
Church school for young people
in grades K through 6. All are
welcome.

Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Choir Re-
hearsal in the sanctuary.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rte. 26, Bethel

Rev. Donald R. Protzke
Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: Sat-
urday, 4:30 p.m.
Rectory: 29 Paris St., Norway,
telephone, 743-2606.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor
Reach out to Jesus - He is
reaching out to you.

Sunday:
10:00 a.m. Sunday School in
the downstairs chapel.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p.m. N.Y.P.S.
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Bible
Study and Prayer Meeting at the
Church.

For transportation to any ser-
vice, please call Mrs. Geraldine
Whitman, 836-3354.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal
Sundays at 7:45 p.m., Bethel
Savings Bank.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Odd Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.
Monday:
Youth Men's and Women's
Groups, 7 p.m.

Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service,
7:00 p.m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, Wednesday,
7 p.m.

Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. David Wuori

Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church services, 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

8:15, Sunday School.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.
6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting;
Junior Young Peoples', grades 4-
7; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.
7:00, Evening Service.

Wednesday, Choir Practice,
7:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
Woodstock Seventh-day
Adventist Church

Pastor: Elder William Menshausen
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a.m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday, even-
ing, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister
Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist

Worship Service, 10 a.m.
Sunday School, 11 a.m.
LRY, 6 p.m.

Community Church
(Full Gospel—
Interdenominational)
East Andover Road
Rumford Center

Dr. J. Philip Jackson, Pastor
Wednesday, 7 p.m. Deeper Life
Bible Study.

Saturday, 7 p.m. Prayer Meet-
ing.
Sunday, 10 a.m. Worship. Holy
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tism."

Newry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a.m. Rod-
ney Hanson, Pastor. Robert Du-
ran, Pianist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at
1:00 p.m.

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Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Bible-
centered lessons; Classes for all
ages; Adult class.
Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.
Rumford Point
Congregational Church
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Robert Parent,
Supt. of Church School
Sunday, Nov. 10:
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a.m. Fellowship Hour.

WEST BETHEL CHILDREN'S CENTER

Well, can you believe Thanks-
giving is already here? While you
are at home preparing pumpkin
pies and other goodies for Thanks-
giving the children at the Center
are making Indian headbands,
cranberry sauce and popcorn. The
children are also going to act out
first meeting of the Indians and
Pilgrims.

Even though it's a short week
at the Center the children are
always busy with things to do.
We would like to thank all our
volunteers for their help. We
really appreciate it.

Have a nice Thanksgiving!!!

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
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Pastor

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Leatrice Myhrall, Music Director
Eleanor G. Tracy
Church School Superintendent
Bertha Summerton
Assistant Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Sunday School through Grade
6, 11 a.m.
Tuesday: Choir rehearsal, 7:30
p.m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p.m.
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Fundamental Evangelistic
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Bible Study, Wednesday, at 7
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All welcome.

Spalding Memorial Chapel
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Rev. Delmer A. Parker, Jr.
Christian Worship Service, Sun-
day, 10 a.m.

OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor

Albany Congregational Church
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
East Stenham Congregational
Sunday:

9:00 a.m. Morning Worship.
9:00 a.m. Church School.
North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a.m. Church School.
Christian Science Services

In all Christian Science Church-
es, the Lesson-Sermon read from
the desk is the same. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Nov. 27: Subject—An-
cient and Modern Necromancy,
alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism
Denounced. Golden Text—Mark
13:33—Take ye heed, watch and
pray.

First Church of Christ Scientist,
corner of Main and Tenth Streets,
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morn-
ing services at 11 a.m., and Sun-
day School at the same hour for
pupils up to the age of 20 years.
The Wednesday evening meeting is
at 7:45, including testimonies of
healing.

Christian Science Society, Nor-
way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday
School at 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday evening service at
7:30 p.m. includes testimonies of
healing.

You are cordially invited to at-
tend these services. Everyone is
welcome.

The Reorganized Church of
Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
of Independence, Mo.
The Church of Jesus Christ of
Latter-day Saints
Oxford Branch—the Branch
Chapel, Skeetfield Road, Oxford.
Sunday:

Priesthood, 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p.m.
Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-
zation) 9 a.m.
Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45
p.m.

M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p.m.
Holy Resurrection
Orthodox Church
Rev. Michael Westerberg
Petrograd Street
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Saturday, 7:00 p.m. Great Ves-
pers.
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. Divine Litur-
gy.
Feast days announced.

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Home

Holidays are great times for
family get togethers—people tra-
veling in all directions, young peo-
ple from school coming home for
the festivities, grandparents re-
membered by a visit or phone call;
there's a feeling of warmth—a
saying at Christmas time goes "Tis
the season to be jolly".

Yes, God ordained the family
and the family where God is head
is the most important institution in
the world—and He tells us in—
Luke 6 vs. 47 and 48 "—as we
doeth His sayings" and build our
homes on a rock (Jesus Christ)
where storms cannot tear it down".

Proverbs 22:6 says "Train up
a child in the way he should go;
and when he is old, he will not
depart from it". How true it is,
we may stray but the old hymns
and Bible verses we learned in
childhood will ring in our minds
and bring us back.

Centuries ago Joshua learned
the value of God's word, for
he said in Chapter 24 vs. 15 "—but
for me and my house we shall
serve the Lord."

Jesus tells us quite plainly that
our homes should be a place where
He can visit and be gladly accepted.
He tells us of a place where His
children will be welcomed: If Co-
rinthians 5:1: "—we have a build-
ing of God, an house not made
with hands, eternal in the Hea-
vens" and also in John 14: 1, 2

CATHOLIC CHURCH COUNCIL
MET WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16

The Church Council met at
Our Lady of the Snows Church
Wednesday evening, Nov. 16.
There were ten members present.
A short meeting followed.

It was voted to give three
Thanksgiving baskets to needy
families.

It was reported the Legion hall
could be hired for social affairs.
There was some discussion of
changing the heating system but
it was tabled for a later date.

New vestments have been or-
dered for the priest.
There will be no C C D classes
Nov. 23. The next meeting will be
Dec. 14.

CHEMICAL MAGIC AT GOULD

Chemistry students at Gould
Academy took a break from the
normal Saturday morning class
routine and held a magic show
in the lab. Each student selected
an experiment which involved a
chemical principle or reaction, and
then, under the guidance of their
instructor, Jim Fiske, demon-
strated this to the other members
of the class, as well as to Mr. New-
ell's Biology students.

All who attended were constant-
ly amazed as balloons levitated,
solutions turned or didn't turn col-
or, and strange noises and odors
permeated the lab and hallway.

Gould schedules 14 Saturday
classes in the course of the school
year which allows for longer va-
cation periods. Since many of the
boarding students come from great
distance the extra days make home
visits worthwhile. In addition, Sat-
urday classes are scheduled at
times when the weather is at its
worst, between days such as Parents,
Alumni and Trustees Weekend.

Under present law, the Federal
government imposes a 5% com-
munications tax on individual
telephone bills. (This tax is sched-
uled to be phased out over a five
year period.) The Internal Revenue
Service ruled earlier this year that
state sales tax must be added to
the phone charges on which the
5% Federal telephone tax is based.

This has meant that Maine phone
customers and in the 17
other states which impose sales
tax on telephone service—have
been forced to pay additional
taxes on their monthly phone
bills.

I believed that this tax on a tax
was simply unfair. It would have

Telephone Tax Repeal Signed
Into Law

On September 8, I introduced
legislation in the House to repeal
an Internal Revenue Service de-
cision which has forced Maine
residents to pay higher taxes on
their telephone bills.

I am very pleased that the Pre-
sident has acted so promptly in
this matter. Our small colleges and
veterans can now plan for the
winter in confidence.

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of the State's share of educational
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property tax.

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November 12, the President signed
into law the needed legislation
ending the double taxation o.
amounts paid as state tax. I am
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been able to act so quickly to
correct this clear inequity, and I
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Maine will be equally pleased to
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METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL SELLING "GOOD NEWS BIBLES"

Some of the members of the
Sunday School at the Bethel
United Methodist Church are of-
fering the Good News Bibles as a
special class project.

This is a flexible cover edition
of the Old and New Testaments
written in modern, easy to read
English, published recently by
The American Bible Society. They
will make excellent Christmas
gifts. The cost is very little.

They are available from the
following people: Scott Stevens,
Dorothy Gallant, Mark Hindman,
Jennifer Moran, Penny York, Jay
Hastings, Teresa Roberts, Darcie
Witter and Maureen (Mrs. Ruel)
Swain.

The Bibles are paid for when
ordered, so if the supply runs out,
your order and advance payment
would be appreciated.

and 3: "—In my Father's house
are many mansions—I go to pre-
pare a place for you", "that where
I am there ye may be also".

Dear ones; in our homes let us
prepare a place for our Lord, Je-
sus Christ—as He tells us in John
6:6 "But thou when thou prayest
enter into thy closet, and when
thou hast shut the door, pray to
thy Father which is in secret; and
thy Father which sees in secret
shall reward thee openly."

This prayer is a personal one to
God, to Him only—as we walk
personally with Him.

Fred'k Werner
Bethel Gospel Center

WOMEN'S GROUP OF
WEST PARISH CHURCH
TO MEET NOV. 30

The Women's Group of the West
Parish Church will hold their reg-
ular monthly meeting on Wednes-
day, Nov. 30, from 8-12 a.m. at
the home of Bea Conrad. They will
be finishing up Fair articles and
will price them at this meeting.
If you have items to be priced for
the Fair, please leave at Bea's be-
fore that Wednesday morning. The
November Committee is: Bea Con-
rad, Carolyn Brooks, Norma Jod-
ney and Dot Shirley.

The annual Christmas Fair and
Tea is planned for Saturday, Dec.
3, 1-4 p.m. at the church. The us-
ual tables of greens, Christmas
crafts, gift items and food will be
available.



From that time forth began Jesus to shew unto his disciples,
how that he must go unto Jerusalem, and suffer many
things of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be
killed, and be raised again the third day.

St. Matthew 16: 21

If we read the Bible carefully, we may note
that Jesus brought the disciples "along" in a
careful manner. From the day they were
chosen, they were "trained", as one would train
a distance runner or a prize fighter.

Perhaps, for the disciples, the one thing most
difficult to accept was the fact that the Master
they had chosen to follow would one day be per-
secuted and crucified to the death.

They had seen miracles, by a simple word, a
wave of the hand. If God so wished, they told
themselves, no harm could possibly come to
Jesus.

The disciples learned, as we know, that it was
God's design for Jesus to die on the cross and
they, the chosen, would carry the word and the
faith to mankind.

From Congress

Last month, a number of us in
Congress wrote to President Car-
ter asking him to issue an execu-
tive order to change a Veteran's
Administration policy which was
working to the disadvantage of G.
I. students at many small colleges
in Maine and other cold-weather
states. I am pleased to report that
the President has now issued such
an order.

Many residential colleges and
universities in Northern states
have responded to the energy cri-
sis by altering their academic
calendars. To reduce their energy
consumption, these institutions
have extended their traditional
winter break period or delayed
the opening of new school terms
when their fuel demands are high.

An expanded winter break be-
tween quarters or semesters per-
mits these schools to turn back
the temperature in their dormito-
ries and classroom buildings to
achieve greater fuel savings. For
many smaller schools, operating
costs have risen to critical levels.
They cut their fuel budgets,
many may be forced to close. Be-
cause of a Veteran's Administra-
tion regulation, however, those
schools with a high percentage of
veterans enrolled under GI bill
educational benefits have been
blocked from changing their aca-
demic calendars.

Under previous Veterans Ad-
ministration rules, if the break
between college terms was more
than a calendar month, monthly
veteran educational assistance
payments were not issued to
veteran-students. This rule applied
in all cases, except when the inter-
term period is extended due to an
emergency or is based upon an
order of the President. The Veter-
ans Administration did not con-
sider energy conservation pro-
grams by schools an emergency
situation justifying continued GI
bill payments.

This policy had significant con-
sequences in Maine. It meant that
our small colleges with high veter-
an enrollments, such as St. Francis
in Biddeford, Thomas College in
Waterville and Husson in Bangor,
did not have the option of ex-
tending their winter breaks to save
energy without running the risk
of losing GI bill tuition payments
to adversely affecting their veter-
an students.

I joined several other House
members in petitioning President
Carter to issue a new executive
order instructing the Veterans
Administration to continue GI bill
payments to veterans at schools
that extend inter-term periods for
energy conservation purposes.

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sident has acted so promptly in
this matter. Our small colleges and
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Editorial Comment

VOTE "NO" ON REPEAL

Our opinion is that the Uniform
Property Tax should not be re-
pealed by Maine voters on Dec. 5.
While this is in conflict with an-
other belief that public education,
in Maine should not be supported
primarily by taxes levied on real
estate, this method should be re-
tained until the Legislature sees
fit in its wisdom and foresight to
enact legislation to provide reve-
nue from other sources.

We think that a great portion
of the State's share of the cost
of public education, currently ab-
out 49%, should be financed
tax based upon individual and
corporate ability to pay, and a re-
vamped sales tax schedule.

The present uniform property
tax does lend itself in many in-
stances to a near confiscatory tax
burden on those citizens who are
on a fixed income and/or in the
lower levels of the income scale.
An implementation of an income
tax increase could tap a source
of revenue for the state from
those who by provisions of statute
are able to enjoy considerable in-
come from land on which they con-
tinue to pay taxes at a rate-level
considerably less than other own-
ers of real estate in an area.

A revamped sales tax, which
would include exemptions of items
such as children's clothing espe-
cially, and possibly clothing and
other similar necessities, could
provide other funds to support ed-
ucation. Perhaps a higher percen-
tage of tax could be implemented
on items that appear in reality
to be luxuries, but over the years
have become regarded as a com-
monplace necessities.

We believe that regardless of
the outcome of the voting on the
Uniform Property Tax on Dec. 5,
the Legislature should maintain
the premise of 50% participation
by the State in funding of public
education, but should work to-
ward providing at least 75% of the
State's share from sources other
than property tax.

Maine should retain the Uniform
Property Tax on Dec. 5, but only
as a hedge against the well-known
and time-proven reluctance of a
Legislature to plow new ground.
This seems historically to be true
if the ground is controlled by in-
terests whose sophisticated lob-
biers appear to carry more weight
in Augusta than the "folks back
home."

If we lived in one of the some
56 areas of the State which are
"pay-in" municipalities under the
Uniform Property Tax provisions
our opinion would possibly be dif-
ferent. But since we are in an
area which receives a financial
benefit for school purposes, our
position is that the State and the
"pay-in" towns have a responsi-
bility for assisting in school fund-
ing throughout the state.

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AMERICAN LEGION COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS AT BETHEL

Thirty seven members and guests attended the Oxford County American Legion County Council #81 on Tuesday evening, Nov. 15. The meeting was called to order by County Commander Elmer Abbott of Norway. An explanation of the Uniform Property Tax was

given by guest speaker, State Rep. Karen Brown of Bethel, followed by a question and answer discussion. N. E. C. Cliff Quinney spoke on the issue of the Panama Canal Treaty and matters concerning defense. Past County Commanders attending were Dana Brooks, Raymond Tripp, Alanson Cummings, Roland Haggett and Warren Smith. Other members included: Ed Roach, Rumford, 1st Vice Commander; Leland Dunham, Lookie Mills, Treasurer; Carolyn Brooks, Assistant Treasurer; Roland Haggett, Norway, County Service Officer; Ed Bean, South Paris, Sgt.-at-Arms; and Bryant Guernsey, County Adjutant. State Department officers included Vice Commander Norm Cribby, N. E. C. Cliff Quinney, N. E. C. Alternate Vita DePhillip, 2nd District Commander Warren Smith and Past Department Commander Maurice Wagner. A buffet lunch was enjoyed after the meeting. Courtesy of the Munda-Allen Unit #81, American Legion Auxillary.

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SEVENTH GRADE students at the Telstar Middle School in Mr. Durgin's science class use an inclined plane and force measurer with a Newton scale. Which takes more force—lifting the object, dragging the object, or using a pulley to lift the object the same height?

Telstar R. H. S. News

Senior High Student Council's Report

The Council met Monday first period to vote on the revisals the constitution committee suggested for the changes in the constitution. The regular meeting was held Tuesday. The council has received information or an exchange student. Anyone interested in housing or being an exchange student, call Brenda Mills 824-2861.

A committee was appointed to look into the possibility of getting a school sign.

An assembly committee has been appointed to bring various entertainments as well as educational assemblies to Telstar. — Brenda Mills

OPPOSED TO LOWERED DRINKING AGE

The following letter appeared recently in the "Portland Press Herald", and is reprinted by request.

The Drinking Age

What kind of person is Barry Hobbs who will put "economy" before the lives of our children?

If he is so worried about age discrimination and the drinking law, maybe we had better get someone up in Augusta to lobby towards putting the legal age back up to 21. Why doesn't someone ask us mothers if we want our children in bars, or drinking before, during and after school, or driving around in the putrid condition that "booze" will definitely put you in.

Maybe what our young people need is an alternative, not a compromise. If they want to dance, etc., why not a few places that offer good music and atmosphere where they don't have to drink? A lot of drinking is "peer pressure." They have to buy a drink because it is expected of them.

Click with the State Police and find out what shape some of these kids are in after "a drink" and a few pills. Unfortunately 18 is an age of experimentation. Ask a few mothers who have lost a son or daughter because of drunk driving — ask them if they want the age limit dropped.

As a mother of four, I feel that the majority of 18-year-olds do not fit into the "capable drinker" slot. At 18 they think they know everything and after a few drinks they are sure of it. I would like to see laws to protect the young people.

My children are worth more to me and I firmly believe in removing temptation, not flaunting it. I'd like laws to protect my children until maturity, which isn't 18.

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

A small buck deer was accidentally killed early Thursday evening near the home of Ann Cross when it was hit by a pickup truck driven by two Portland fellows.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Davis, Todd and Allison, were supper guests Saturday of the Dave Salways.

There was no electric power in this area for an hour and 15 minutes Saturday afternoon.

Another accident occurred Saturday afternoon about 1 p.m. near the home of Howard Lapham. Two Bridgton boys lost control of their small car and it flipped over. They were fortunate to suffer only minor injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. John Provancher and baby, Jackie, were supper guests Saturday of the Howard Laphams also Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lapham. Other week end callers were Bob Krokorian and Al Cooley of Portland, Walter Lapham, Bonnie of Arsenault and friend of Norway, and Marlon Arsenault and friend, also of Norway.

Walter Lapham of Searsmont was an overnight visitor Saturday of the Byron Laphams.

Several from here attended the Kimball-Hadley wedding in Waterville, Friday evening.

Recent callers of Mrs. Ralph Kimball were Mrs. Herb Adams and children of Hanover, Mrs. Elwood Stone of South Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball of Lewistown, Pa.

Maurice Vail of Redhook, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Vail of Levittown, Pa., are spending this week with the Jack-Parksons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kimball left Monday morning for their winter home in Chuluota, Fla. They planned to spend Tuesday night in Savannah, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Grenier visited Mrs. Bertha Thusterson at the Norway hospital Sunday afternoon. "A thankful heart is not only the greatest virtue, but the parent of all other virtues." — Cicero.

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Locke Mills

— Mrs. John Mills, Corres. —

The Ladies Circle is pleased to announce that they netted \$280.37 at their annual Christmas Sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and daughters, Rebecca and Kathleen of Wallingford, Ct., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Swan and Alan, Paris Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross are expected Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. Lillian Lapham.

Visitors over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford were Mrs. Hattie Curtis, Mrs. Sadie O'Aultolo and Mrs. Beulah Cole, West Sumner, Mrs. Myrtle Bonney and daughter, Beryl, West Paris, on Saturday. On Sunday Mrs. Edna Webster and son, Harlan, from Portland visited and brought the Fords' nephew, Leslie Mason, from Portland with them. Rev. David Wuori visited on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Menle Larvey expect to be in Portland for Thanksgiving, guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larvey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Dryden, were Saturday supper guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills. They spent the night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Glenn Murphy, Bethel.

The Head Start children have need of warm mittens. There are 30 children in this program. If anyone has any to donate please get in touch with Dora Ford. The children in the program are preschoolers.

Marie Hawley, line year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Henley, returned home last week after having a tonsillectomy at the Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Ethelyn Lord is out of the hospital and she and her husband, Clifford Lord, have returned to their home in Florida. She expects to be under the doctor's care there for awhile.

Because of the difficulties they encounter daily and because of past community attitudes, many parents of the handicapped and the handicapped themselves are discouraged. They now have reason to be more hopeful.

Parents and handicapped adults, who are not receiving services, or persons who know of such adults, are urged to contact Miss Claudia Roberts by calling 1-364-3739 or writing to: Miss Claudia Roberts, Research Planner, S. A. D. #43, Third Street, Mexico, Maine 04257. In five minutes you might begin the process to improve a lifetime.

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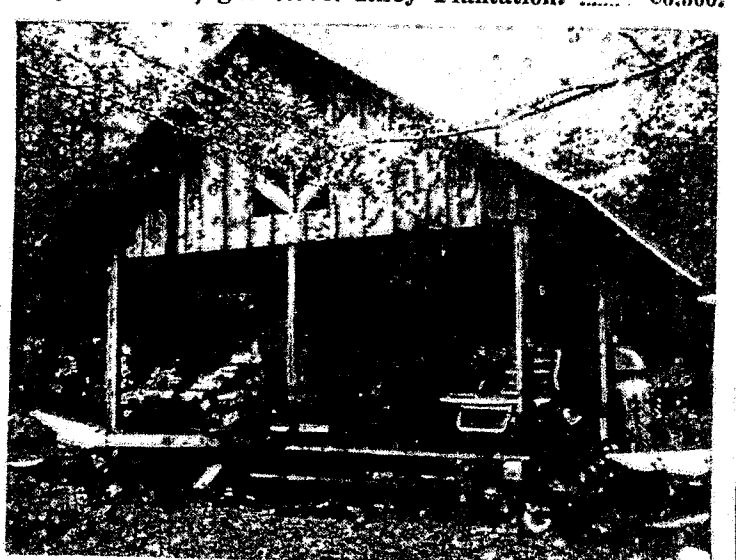
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EIGHT BOND QUESTIONS
FACE VOTERS ON DEC. 5by John Graham
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While about 66% of Maine voters remain undecided in the Uniform State Property Tax question, according to a recent University of Maine poll, \$65.4 million in bond issues also await the voters approval on Dec. 5. Although it appears the voter faces a simple yes or no vote, the wording of the questions and the brief explanations written by the Attorney General's office give little information on what the choices mean. The bond issues up for referendum originated in the First Regular Session of the 108th Legislature. The bill as passed by the legislature often gives only an idea of who will spend the money and how. Sometimes, as in the case of Question 1, which asks the voters to approve \$30 million for pollution abatement, there is substantially more money involved from other sources.

Nearly \$11 million in all is represented in Question One, which asks the voters to ratify a bond issue for the planning, construction, and equipment for pollution abatement facilities throughout the state. The 30 million dollars represents only 15% of the total money that will be spent for pollution control. Federal funds will account for 75% of the cost of these facilities, with the remaining 10% coming from local monies. According to Henry Warren, Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection, about 80 projects now in the planning stages would be partially funded if the bond issue is successful. Pollution abatement facilities currently under construction will not be affected by the vote.

The Highway and Bridge Improvement Program approved by the legislature asks the voters for approval of \$11.5 million on Question Seven. Like the pollution control plans, the Department of Transportation also receives about three fourths of its project money from the Federal government. Sometimes, because of Federal funding laws and the size of a job, projects are started with seed money and depend on a bond issue for completion. Such has the Gardiner-Randolph bridge project, which DOT officials say has had about \$5 million put into engineering, right-of-way acquisition, and substructure work. The Department needs another \$3.5 million from the Dec. 5 bond to complete its plans. By voting no, voters could stop this project, but also included in the question is the completion of projects to widen and pave many of Maine's worst roads. Like the rest of the referendum questions, the whole bond is voted on and voters cannot pick and choose which projects they wish to see completed.

Twenty-six airports in Maine would benefit from a yes vote on Question 6. A \$1.8 million bond would create the potential for another ten million dollars in matching Federal funds. A local airport project that needs funds would not receive state money until Federal funds are approved for the airport. Portland, Bangor and Augusta would be in line for major shares of the bond issue but many smaller airports state wide are specified for help.

The Auburn-Lewiston Airport is slated for \$36,300 if the bond issue passes.

Questions two, three and four all deal with educational facilities. Maine Maritime Academy would receive \$300,000 for the renovation of Leavitt Hall, an historical building at the Academy. If approved Academy officials have pledged to raise \$600,000 in private funds to match the money.

The University of Maine system hopes for the approval of a \$5.9 million bond to build two new buildings and finish two other projects. The Farmington campus would receive a classroom building that would cost \$3.8 million. In Orono a \$1.5 million project would mean an attachment to the Chemical Engineering building. The pulp and paper industry has pledged to furnish the facility with \$1.5 million worth of equipment if it's built. The facility would be used for the study of new papermaking processes and related chemical engineering. However, in the bill passed by the legislature, the Statement of Fact

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GRADES 1 and 2 at Woodstock Elementary School in Bryant Pond attended a field trip to Channel 6, Portland. This is Maine's newest TV studio. One of the chaperones

classifies the new Orono building as an "Environmental Science Building". University officials say the studies at the building will emphasize the environmental impacts of papermaking.

On the more mechanical side of education, the Vocational Technical Institute system in Maine stands to gain from Question 4. A 3.7 million bond would aid in the construction of major projects at all four institutes. A multi-purpose instructional building at Presque Isle would cost \$1.4 million and an educational wing at Central Maine Vo-Tech in Auburn; one million dollars. At South Portland facilities for teaching building construction skills will cost \$564,000 and in Bangor a Mechanicals Building requires \$728,000.

Keeping up with energy conservation themes is the idea behind Question five, which would put \$5 million into energy conservation projects for state owned buildings and five million into public schools. The money for the public schools will pay for 90% of the improvement with the local school systems picking up the rest. Energy conservation projects started after June 1, 1977 might be eligible for this aid.

Once again, the establishment of a Maine Veterans Home is up for vote. The \$2.1 million bond is for the construction of the home for support and care of honorably discharged veterans, who served in any war, including the Korean and Vietnam conflicts. A Board of Trustees, all of whom must be veterans, will be responsible for the administration of the home and the selection of the administrator.

All bonds being voted on would be paid off over twenty years except for the Veterans Home, which would run for twenty-five years.

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West Bethel

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

The Ladies Chapel Aid Sale which was held on Saturday was well patronized and a very successful sale. The ladies appreciated all the help they had. A lady from Buckfield took some pictures of the sale.

The 'Hunters' Supper sponsored by Pleasant Valley Grange Saturday night was attended by a large crowd in spite of other suppers held in nearby towns the same evening. They were all serving different menus, so people had quite a choice which supper to attend.

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 16, over 40 people attended the Fellowship Harvest Supper which was held at the church. A prayer meeting and short movie followed the supper.

The weather in this area for the past week has been cold, in 20° to 30° range. A few snow flurries but no snow now in the valleys, although surrounding mountains are snow capped.

Mrs. Edward Casey of Peaks Island, returned home Nov. 19 after spending a week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bean.

Mrs. Eloise Palmer of Berlin, N. H., spent last week with Mrs. Libbie Kneeland. Mrs. Palmer is the former Eloise Vashaw of West Bethel. She lived here when she was growing up.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cordwell and family were in Norway Sunday to help celebrate Mr. and Mrs. Terry Gordon's little daughter, Cherie's birthday.

Mrs. Gordon Mason's stepmother, Mrs. Ruth Gordon of Norway, is recovering very well from a recent hip operation at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings made their semi annual trip to the dentist in Norway and also to the doctor's in Harrison for his treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy attended Oxford County Council meeting in Bethel to hear representative.

sentative. Karen Brown speak on the tax issue.

Miss Candy Bennett of Farmington U. of M. came home on Tuesday for the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings attended Arsene Blaquiere's funeral service in Norway Thursday. He was one of Mr. and Mrs. Cummings old time friends.

John E. Howe of South West Harbor called on the Cummings' Saturday.

Ellen Lovejoy and Cindy Parker participated in Western Maine Music Festival in Saco Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hedley provided their transportation.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker entertained at a pre-Thanksgiving dinner Sunday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Arquette of Mt. Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, Miss Roberta Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head, Jane and Marietta Head, all of West Bethel.

Mrs. Clara Roite will have Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morse of Norway for guests Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bean of West Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bean and family of Locke Mills will be guests Thanksgiving day of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bean and family, South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gilbert will entertain their family and Miss Mary Frost of Norway for a Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Valcourt will be guests Thanksgiving Day of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reynolds of Rumford.

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Sp4 Rebecca J. Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Sciotte, of Summit Road, Bryant Pond, have received word that their daughter, Rebecca J. Holland, has been promoted to Sp4. She is serving with the U. S. Army in Germany.

West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Katrina Lowe came down from North Conway and with Bob and Mona Lowe, Janie and Eddie Deegan attended the wedding of Mona's nephew, Jeff Hadley, to Sharon Kimball at Waterford, Friday evening.

Clayton Bartlett, Kennebunk, Lillian and Dorothy Bartlett, East Bethel, and Dorothy Graves, West Bethel, were Saturday evening guests at Maude Harrington's.

Janice and Maude Harrington went to a baby shower for Estelle Harrington at Julie Day's at Sunday River, Sunday afternoon.

Sheila and Maude Harrington went to Augusta, Monday evening, for a meeting at the Senator Inn.

We visited Aunt Luella Mills at Bryant Pond, Sunday.

Doug and Rita Wilson went to Lewiston on Wednesday.

Rita Wilson and Nancy Wight, Newry, were in Berlin, Thursday.

Edith Deegan, Westbrook, spent the day with Irene Wilson on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roy, Rumford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Terry Wilson, Wednesday.

Callers at Alden and Irene Wilson's have been Gloria Wilson, Stan and Barbara Wilson and children, and Ruth Wilkinson, Wilton.

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Sunday River

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan of Mexico, were in town Sunday.

Dr. B. A. Ring of Burlington, Vt., is in Ketchum to hunt.

Bradley Harrington was a lucky hunter Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Blake are in Florida after being well washed most of the way with a big rain storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hutchins and daughter called on Mrs. Eva Yates and Russell as they were on their way home from the Osteopathic Hospital where the girl had spent a week.

Dr. B. A. Ring was a caller on Eva Yates and Russell to tell them he had got his deer.

David Fleet's cows are all in for the winter.

The mountains have plenty of snow but down here it's gone.

East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Mrs. Lillian Bartlett and Mrs. Floribel Haines attended the Retired Teachers' meeting at Telstar Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines and sons will be Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Floribel Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis and son, Kyle, were supper guests of Mrs. Leona Curtis Saturday.

Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk was a week end visitor at the Bartlett Homestead.

James Kimball was an overnight guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith at the Greenwood Cabins.

Miss Rosalie Coolidge was an overnight guest Saturday of Miss Velora Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Kenneth Harris, Nov. 20, at the Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. Master Mason weighed in at six pounds and 12 ounces.

Denise Coolidge attended a party in Bethel for Scott Walker on his third birthday, Saturday.

David Foster was taken by ambulance Tuesday of last week to Maine Medical Center in Portland.

Mrs. David Foster was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin in South Waterford Thursday through Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner took her over and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Stearns brought her home.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chamberlin and three children were his brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Chamberlin, Eric and Chris, of Benton and Boston. Dr. Chamberlin is a director of the Bingham Associates Fund and a teacher at Tufts University.

Andover

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres. —

Andover Senior Citizens held their annual Thanksgiving meeting with a turkey dinner at the town hall Thursday, November 17.

There was a very good turn out and a delicious meal, followed by a business meeting. It was decided to hold the meetings during the day for the winter months.

Next meeting will be the Christmas meeting on Dec. 15 from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. when the "Secret Friend" will be disclosed. Be sure and bring a present for your Secret Friend. Those not having one bring a present anyway to swap.

Pot luck dinner.

Mrs. Floyd Emerson and Mrs. Walter Jodrey were in Lewiston, Thursday, Nov. 17. Mrs. Emerson had surgery at Dr. Wolf's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr. were in Rockland to attend the funeral of his brother, Roy H. Emerson, on Sunday, Nov. 20.

About 60 employees of Andover Wood Products enjoyed a bus trip to Burnham, Maine, to visit and tour a wood turning and furniture factory which uses some of the pieces manufactured at the Andover plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston, Danny and Jon, were in Topsham Sunday visiting the Clinton Matthews family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Fox will entertain for Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fox, Nancy Fox, Mr. and Mrs. David York and

daughters, Kimberly and Katelyn, all of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and children, Amos and Naomi, of Augusta; Mrs. Jeri Tate and daughter, Elayna, of West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover, West Buxton, were visitors Saturday of his mother, Mrs. Bernice Glover.

Foster, Silas Jr., and Gerry Peaslee of North Yarmouth were visitors of Mrs. Pearl Peaslee and went hunting with Greg Peaslee, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills Jr. were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday night to attend a "Square Dance".

Nov. 20 was Thanksgiving Sunday Service of the First Congregational Church and was devoted "Thankfulness to God." Hymns, special music, prayers and scripture and a message was offered with the hope that you went forth with a real lift in your heart.

Next Sunday, Nov. 27, is the first Sunday in Advent and Rev. John Haverinen of South Paris is scheduled to speak while Rev. David Wuori is away. His topic will be "The Great Affirmation."

The newsletter committee met Tuesday, Nov. 22, at 7 p. m. at the Christian Education Building. Also the Junior and Senior Choirs rehearsed at 6:30 and 7:30 respectively.

There will be a public baked bean supper Saturday, Nov. 26, at the C. E. B. at 6 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston

Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

The date of the Woodstock Senior Citizens meeting has been changed from the usual first Thursday to the second Thursday, Dec. 8.

The Woodstock Extension met at the home of Miriam McAllister on Wednesday, Nov. 16, with 22 members present. Miriam told of her trip last winter and showed many things she found and made. Next meeting will be Dec. 15 on a

ton and sons, Danny and Jon, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Humphrey, Manchester, N. H., for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Charles Jaros, Mrs. Leon Akers and Mrs. James Bodwell were in Portland shopping at the Main Mall one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting will spend the Thanksgiving Holiday with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cutting in South Windham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thurston left last week for Ormond Beach, Fla., for the winter months.

Mrs. Beatrice Dresser and Mrs. Elizabeth Outings were in Bethel Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Beatrice Dresser will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Reed and Dale of Enfield, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Glover and Charles Marston will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Brooks in Bethel for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodsdon will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Keith

Thursday at the home of June Demerest for a Christmas party and to make favors for shut-ins.

About 15 young people attended the all night bowl-a-thon at Portland Friday night. Donnie Hoyt and Wes Pierce were the champions. First they attended a Thing-um-a-jig with meeting and games at the Expo Building then at 12 p. m. they bowled to 4 a. m. Wanda Ellingwood won a trophy for highest girls single on candlepin bowling. A good time was had by all.

Hodsdon and son, Timmy, Fryeburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodsdon, North Scituate, R. I.

Mrs. Marion Bodwell has gone to Bethel for the winter months and will spend Thanksgiving with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bodwell.

Mrs. Thelma Clark will spend Thanksgiving in Massachusetts with her daughter, Susan.

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PACK MEETING HELD NOV. 22 AT BETHEL SAVINGS BANK

The regular meeting of Cub Scout Pack 566 was held Tuesday Nov. 22 in the meeting room of the Bethel Savings Bank. After the opening, Cubmaster Al Barth announced that the next Pack activity would be a Parent-Son bowling and MacDonald's lunch stop on Dec. 3, Saturday in Rumford. Everyone is to meet at the old A & P parking lot on Railroad St. at 9:20 a. m. A roll call of Dens was called so that uniform inspection sheets could be handed out. A total of 46 out of 46 Cubs were present with Dens 1, 2 and 3 being 100%. The uniform inspection will take place at the Dec. 13 pack meeting.

A special certificate of thanks was presented to Jean McGuire who was a Den leader for several years.

Ernest Perkins, District Representative, presented the Pack with its National summertime Award and Gold Summertime pins were awarded to Brent Batchelder and Bruce Barth who attended all three Summertime activities.

Other awards presented to Cubs and their parents included a Bear Badge, Gold and four Silver Arrows to Mike Jodrey, Den 6; a Wolf Badge to Danny Myers, Den 1; Bobcat badges to Scott Snyder and Brent Angevine, Den 2; and a Gold and Silver Arrow to Brent Batchelder.

Webelos colors were presented to Todd Kellogg, Jon Ness, Brandon Salway and Scott Dyer. Other Webelos awards included Jim Feneoy, Forester; Citizen and Sportsman; Brent Batchelder, Citizen and Forester; Scott Dyer, Citizen and Bear badge; Keith Wight, Traveler, Citizen and Forester; Bruce Barth, Athlete, Citizen and Forester; Jon Ness, Outdoorsman, Citizen, Forester and Aquanaut; Todd Kellogg, Aquanaut, Athlete, Citizen and Forester; Brandon Salway, Forester, Athlete and Citizen.

Skits were presented by Dens 4 and 5. Lindsey Chapman's Den 4 put on an Indian skit based on the rain ceremony and Peggy Wight's Den 5, even though their numbers were depleted, staged a spirited war dance. The theme for November was Indians and several excellent displays from other Dens were viewed by all. Being close to Thanksgiving the meeting closed with a loud turkey gobble.

U. M. W. PLAN CHRISTMAS MEETING

A pot luck luncheon and an exchange of gifts will usher in the Christmas season for the United Methodist Women when they meet on Thursday, Dec. 1, at the Bethel Savings Bank. Those attending are requested to furnish a hot dish or salad for the 12 o'clock luncheon and a gift for the Christmas tree.

LEARNED - HETTINGER

Bonita Hettinger became the bride of Leroy Learned of Newry at the home of Rodney Hanson, Bethel, pastor of the Newry Community Church, on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 20, in a double ring ceremony performed by the pastor. All received Holy Communion before the ceremony.

The bride wore a full length gown of red and white with a white veil and carried a bouquet of red roses. She was attended by Nadine Gagne and Tammy Learned. Edward Bennett served as best man.

Guests included members of the bride's family from New Hampshire, Mrs. Don Sgrulloni and daughter, Heidi, Mrs. Joe Alonzo and daughter, Candy, and Mrs. Ricky Grenik. Mrs. Louise Learned, mother of the groom, was unable to be present due to a prior commitment.

10 YEARS AGO

Road Foreman Robert Davis and Town Manager Edwin Dickey completed a course on Road and Street Maintenance sponsored by the Bureau of Public Administrators at the University of Maine campus, Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward observed their 40th wedding anniversary with an open house at their home on the Middle Intervale Road.

Arthur, Henley, Clayton Tyler and John Coolidge, students at Woodstock High School, escaped serious injury when the car in which they had been riding was struck by a Canadian National freight train at Howe's Crossing, Bryant Pond. Reportedly the car went out of control and came to rest on the tracks. The three youths jumped from the car before it was hit by the train.

Death: Mrs. Laura E. Westleigh

20 YEARS AGO

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lowe of Albany was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin.

Bethel pre-school children census showed a primary grade drop. Albert Sumner was elected captain of the 1958 football squad at Gould Academy.

Death: Howard Hickford (North-west Bethel).

30 YEARS AGO

Harry Savin was presented a 55 year jewel in honor of his long membership in Oxford Lodge, I. O. O. F., North Waterford.

40 YEARS AGO

About 50 people were employed at Bryant Pond, making toy barbed wire entanglements.

The West Parish Congregational Church was redecorated with special services. The interior of the church had been extensively altered and redecorated. New pulpit furniture was added.

The Abbott House at Upton was closed. It had been open for 50 years or more by the Abbott family.

50 YEARS AGO

Extensive alterations were underway at J. P. Butts store on Main Street. (The building was razed in January of 1973. The site is now the location of the Bethel Savings Bank).

The ferry at the site of the new Androscoggin River Bridge (Mayville), was in charge of Clarence Briggs and Herman Bennett.

Deaths: Mrs. Gertrude Walker Harthorne, Mrs. Grace Sanborn Robinson.

Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

The planning board met last week and examined and approved a plan of sub-division submitted by the Dapalitos. The problem of structures dangerous to youngsters allowed to roam freely was discussed. The referendum concerning the uniform property tax came under fire. The anger that the State can and will take heavily from small towns who are conservative and penny conscious and give to the larger towns who spend more lavishly and the fear of what this law can lead to as there's no guarantee that monies would be used exclusively for schools was shared. It was also brought out that we are paying much money via taxes to promote this law that is very hurtful to small town dwellers.

The Arons Sr. served a very delicious beef stew to a small crowd Saturday evening. The small profit realized will be supplemented later by another function.

We had a little snow but the weather is mostly unseasonably warm.

Bethel and Vicinity

Donald Varney is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital, where he was taken by ambulance on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Crommett, Livermore, visited on the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown.

Mrs. Andrew Deraspe and son, Matthew, of Bangor, were guests on the week end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown.

Expected week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron are their children, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes, Reading, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron, East Parsonfield and Miss Gertrude Waldron, East Millinocket.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron returned Sunday, from a trip to Illinois. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Barnes, Butler, Ill., and also visited places of interest including Springfield, President Lincoln's home, and restored New Lincoln's home.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marlan Chase, Corres. —

Mrs. Mona Cole returned home Saturday from C. M. C. Lewis, Conn.

Sunday, Dec. 4, there will be an open house in honor of Joe and Evelyn Barrett's 50th wedding anniversary at their North Paris home from 2-5 p. m. A money tree will be available.

Rick Chase got a deer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cram and Amy, Oxford, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cram, South Paris, called on Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cram, Mrs. Arlene Farr, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Farr, Troy and Tammy, have moved into their new home on High Street.

Mrs. Joyce Lamb, Pat Lawrence, Dot Chamberlain, Cynthia Lamb, Miriam Inman, Beverly Dean and Ann, Marian Chase, went to Portland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cram and Amy, Oxford, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Vining, Kelly and Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hazleton, South Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hazleton will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram and Arlene Farr on the holiday.

Mrs. Lyndell Farr and Leland Doughty will dine with her sister, Mrs. Ella Smith in South Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawrence will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Chandler, Sumner.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Ruokolainen and girls will be Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Chase, Mrs. Audrey Hadley, Carmen Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Chase.

Forward Fellowship will meet Monday Nov. 28 at the home of Beryl Bonney for a 6 p. m. pot luck supper and meeting.

ATTENTION

There will be a car wash this Saturday at the Bethel Tire and Service Center (Shell Station) from 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. Proceeds will go for scholarship fund money for local high school young people to attend a Young Life week end camp on Cape Cod this December. Please stop and get a wash for a worthy cause. "Young Life is caring adults moving effectively through the adolescent world".

Local Young Life Area Staff and Committee

Editor's Quote Book

Democracy is the worst form of government except all others.

Winston Churchill

MRS. DOROTHY G. BLAKE

Mrs. Dorothy G. Blake, 6620 Tami Trail, Sarasota, Fla., died Saturday, Nov. 19, 1977, at the Sarasota Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Born in Bethel, June 15, 1905, she was the daughter of Daniel and Matilda Garey Glines. She was married to Roy C. Blake and they operated a dairy farm in Bethel for many years, but had made their home in Sarasota for the past 17 years.

Survivors include her husband, of Sarasota; one son, Charles G. Blake, and a daughter, Emma B. Page, both of Bethel; five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A son, Harlan, died on July 1, 1947.

Plans are being made for memorial services to be held in Bethel at a later date.



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tripp, Jr.

TRIPP - HENLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Henley of Locke Mills are pleased to announce the marriage of their daughter, Kathy Ann, to Ralph Tripp Jr., of Hanover.

Mr. Tripp is the son of the late Ralph Tripp Sr. of Hanover and Myrtle Tripp of Winn.

The couple were married Sept. 17, in an outdoor wedding followed by a reception held at the Locke Mills town hall.

The bride wore a floor length gown of royal blue. The sister of the groom, Miss Betty Tripp, was the maid of honor and also wore a floor length gown of dark blue.

The groom wore his uniform of dress blues. Bill Tash was best man. He wore a brown suit.

Mr. Tripp is now serving with the U. S. Navy and is stationed in Norfolk, Va. Mrs. Tripp will be joining him soon and they will make their home in Norfolk.

BORN

In Norway, Nov. 5, to Melody and Garret Bonnama, a daughter, Leah.

In Shirley, Mass., Nov. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell (Rowena Gilbert) formerly of West Bethel, a son, Nathan John.

In Norway, Nov. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason of East Bethel, a son, Kenneth Harris.

MARRIED

In Locke Mills, Sept. 17, Ralph Tripp Jr., of Hanover and Miss Kathy Ann Henley of Locke Mills.

In Bethel, Nov. 19, by Rev. Thomas Caton, David B. Brown and Judy Bean, both of Bethel.

In Bethel, Nov. 20, by Rodney Hanson, Leroy Learned of Newry and Bonita Hettinger.

DIED

In Sarasota, Fla., Nov. 19, Mrs. Dorothy G. Blake, native of Bethel, aged 72 years.



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On Dec. 5 the eight proposed bond issues that were passed by the 108th Legislature will go to the voters for a final decision. Here is a brief summary of the first five of the \$65 million bond issues that will be accompanying the Uniform Property Tax question.

Bond Issue #1 is in the amount of \$30,000,000 for the planning, construction and equipment of Pollution Abatement Facilities. These bonds are to be used by the state to continue helping communities meet Federal and State water pollution laws. From this the state can continue to pay 15% of the cost of local water pollution abatement facilities. Local governments pay 10% of the cost and Federal government provides 75%. This legislation was sponsored by Rep. Donald Hall and myself.

Bond Issue #2 is in the amount of \$30,000,000 for the renovation of Leavitt Hall at the Maine Maritime Academy in Castine.

#3 proposes a \$5.9 million bond issue for the construction and renovation of higher education facilities at the University of Maine. These bonds shall be expended under the direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the University of Maine with the approval of the Bureau of Public Improvements. The capital improvements, construction, renovation, and equipment that these bonds shall provide are: Farmington, Classroom/Laboratory Building, \$3,870,000; Orono, Environmental Science Building, \$1,500,000; Portland/Gorham, Science Building, \$445,000; Orono, English/Math Building, 3rd floor, completion and equipment, \$150,000; Total \$5,965,000.

#4 \$3.745 million in bonds to finance construction of an educational wing at Central Maine Vocational Technical Institute, a mechanics building at Eastern Maine Vocational Technical Institute and a building construction

facility at Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute.

#5 Provides for a \$10 million bond issue to make Energy Construction improvements for state-owned buildings and public schools. All State-owned (approx. 400) buildings (examples: Armory, Mental Health Institute, Pine-land School, State Dept. buildings) and all public schools (approx. 900) are eligible. The priorities will be determined by Bureau of Public Improvements and the Dept. of Educational and Cultural Services.

Maine taxpayers paid \$12 million in fuel costs for these buildings in fiscal year 1976. If \$10 million worth of energy conservation improvements are made, a very conservative 20% savings can be expected, or \$2.4 million annually based on 1976 energy costs.

Next week I will write on the other proposed bond issues and the Uniform Property Tax. I have been invited to speak to many groups recently, and the Uniform Property Tax issue is one that everyone has been very interested in learning more about.

Thursday I was in Magalloway Plantation to meet with the Supl. of Schools, Jeff Richards, and the Deputy Commissioner of Education James Vickerson, Headmaster Ronald Hill from Fryeburg Academy and the Magalloway School Board. We met in Magalloway to deal with an Educational Funding of the University of Maine with the approval of the Bureau of Public Improvements. The capital improvements, construction, renovation, and equipment that these bonds shall provide are: Farmington, Classroom/Laboratory Building, \$3,870,000; Orono, Environmental Science Building, \$1,500,000; Portland/Gorham, Science Building, \$445,000; Orono, English/Math Building, 3rd floor, completion and equipment, \$150,000; Total \$5,965,000.

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